

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2006

House Meets At...	Last Vote Predicted At...
10:00 a.m.: Legislative Business  Unlimited "One Minutes"	2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

Suspensions (15 bills):

- 1) [H.Res. 1070](#) – Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Members of the House should actively engage with employers and the American public at large to encourage the hiring of members and former members of the Armed Forces who were wounded in service and are facing a transition to civilian life (*Rep. Hunter – Armed Services*)
- 2) [H.Con.Res. 73](#) – Supporting the goals and ideals of National High School Seniors Voter Registration Day (*Rep. McCrery – House Administration*)
- 3) [H.Res. 1087](#) – Designating Room H-139 of the Capitol as the "Henry J. Hyde Room" (*Rep. Pence – Transportation and Infrastructure*)
- 4) [H.R. 6316](#) – To extend through December 31, 2008, the authority of the Secretary of the Army to accept and expend funds contributed by non-Federal public entities to expedite the processing of permits (*Rep. Baird – Transportation and Infrastructure*)
- 5) [H.R. 4742](#) – To amend title 35, United States Code, to allow the Director of the Patent and Trademark Office to waive statutory provisions governing patents and trademarks in certain emergencies (*Rep. Smith {TX} – Judiciary*)
- 6) [H.R. 1176](#) – Nonprofit Athletic Organization Protection Act of 2006 (*Rep. Souder – Judiciary*)
- 7) [H.R. \\_\\_\\_\\_](#) – To amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent and repress the misuse of the Red Crescent distinctive emblem and the Third Protocol (Red Crystal) distinctive emblem (*Rep. Flake – Judiciary*)
- 8) [H.R. 6111](#) – To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the Tax Court may review claims for equitable innocent spouse relief and to suspend the running on the period of limitations while such claims are pending (*Rep. Tauscher – Ways and Means*)
- 9) [H.R. 5666](#) – Southern Idaho Bureau of Reclamation Repayment Act of 2006 (*Rep. Simpson – Resources*)
- 10) [H.R. 5466](#) – Captain John Smith Chesapeake National Historic Trail Designation Act (*Rep. Jo Ann Davis – Resources*)
- 11) [H.R. 1492](#) – To provide for the preservation of the historic confinement sites where Japanese Americans were detained during World War II, and for other purposes (*Rep. Thomas – Resources*)
- 12) [S. 1219](#) – A bill to authorize certain tribes in the State of Montana to enter into a lease or other temporary conveyance of water rights to meet the water needs of the Dry Prairie Rural Water Association, Inc (*Sen. Burns – Resources*)
- 13) [H.R. 5110](#) – More Water and More Energy Act of 2006 (*Rep. Udall {CO} – Resources*)
- 14) [H.R. 395](#) – Lowell National Historical Park Boundary Adjustment Act (*Rep. Meehan – Resources*)
- 15) [S. 3711](#) – OCS Drilling / Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act of 2006 (*Sen. Domenici – Resources*)

TOMORROW’S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: on Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business and will consider numerous bills under Suspension of the Rules.

Daily Quote...

“One of the basic functions of Congress is passing spending bills to fund the operations of government. Congress regularly fails to complete this work in a timely way, but the 109th Congress is set to leave on an especially negligent note. Unless something dramatic changes, it will limp to a close having completed work on just two spending bills for fiscal 2007, which began Oct. 1. The upshot is that, at best, the fiscal year will be nearly one-third over by the time the 110th Congress finishes the work left incomplete by the 109th. This is inexcusable.”

- *The Washington Post* in an editorial on Monday